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Didsbury Fair Set for July 24th

The date for the Didsbury Fair was set for Wednesday, July 24th, at a meeting of the directors held on Saturday last.

Twenty directors were present at the meeting and the interest exhibited augurs well toward having a very successful fair.

Mr. J. V. Berscht, who has been manager of the fair for the past 25 years, felt he was not in a position to carry on this year, and a new manager will be appointed.

The following committees were appointed:

Prize List: C. E. Reiber, I. L. Klein and J. E. Gooder.
Finance and Advertising: W. E. Rieder and G. A. Burns.
Concessions: W. E. Rieder.
Grounds: S. O'Brien, B. T. Parker, W. Thurlow, I. L. Klein.
Sports: Jim Caithness and W. E. Rieder.

It was decided this year to place an entrance fee on exhibits of 10 per cent. of the first prize.

Dairy Field Day Next Wednesday

A Dairy Field Day, which is sponsored by the Didsbury and District Board of Trade, will be held Wednesday, June 12th, at 2 p. m., at the farm of F. W. Leeson, 6 miles west of Didsbury.

The speakers will be from the University of Alberta and the Department of Agriculture and there will be a demonstration on type, breeding and feeding.

Ice cream and lemonade will be served free and those attending are asked to bring sandwiches and cake.

This field day will be of interest to all farmers and dairymen and an enjoyable, as well as instructive, afternoon is guaranteed.

Hail Insurance Rates Established

The hail insurance rates for the province have been established and the rate for Mountain View and Westerdale Municipalities are set at 12 per cent., which is the same rate as last year. The 12 per cent area extends from Innisfail to Okotoks.

The Hail Board reported that last year they established a surplus of \$45,700.00 and with this surplus they felt assured that with anything like a normal hail year they would be able to pay all claims in full.

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Mountain View Council

The appropriation for public works were allocated to Divisions at the meeting of the Council of Mountain View municipality held at Olds on Saturday last.

A total amount of \$10,000 has been appropriated, to be expended on the roads throughout the municipality and allocated as follows:

Div. 1 \$1,388.57 Div. 2 \$1,821.12
Div. 3 \$1,721.56 Div. 4 \$1,702.51
Div. 5 \$1,891.72 Div. 6 \$1,474.51

The allocations are based on the assessment value of each Division.

The council decided to make a tour of the municipality to inspect roads and bridges on June 10th, after which a definite program of work will be laid out.

A letter was read from the Olds School Division, stating that the Towns of Didsbury and Olds and the Municipalities of Rosebud, Beaver Dam, Mountain View and Westerdale had expressed their willingness to join in the establishment of a Full Time Health Unit and applications had been sent to the Provincial government to establish a Health Unit in this district.

A letter was read with regard to grasshopper control. While the council felt that the damage of grasshopper infestation in the municipality was not great, the situation should be strictly watched and any outbreak should be reported to the municipal secretary.

Mr. Floyd Ahlgrim was again appointed as weed inspector and will commence his duties in the latter part of June.

Several applications for tax consolidation were approved; one case under the Farmers' Credit Arrangement Act was reported, and one relief application was dealt with.

"Dunkerque"

In an editorial entitled simply "Dunkerque," the New York Times said on Saturday:

"So long as the English tongue survives, the word Dunkerque will be spoken with reverence. For in that harbour, in such a hell as never blazed on earth before, at the end of a lost battle, the rags and bladders that have hidden the soul of democracy fell away. There, beaten but unconquered, in shining splendor, she faced the enemy."

They sent away the wounded first. Men died so that others could escape. It was not so simple a thing as courage, which the Nazis had in plenty. It was not so simple a thing as discipline, which can be hammered into men by a drill sergeant. It was not the result of careful planning, for there could have been little. It was the common man of the free countries, rising in all his glory out of the mill, office, factory, mine, farm, and ship, applying to war the lessons learned when he went down the shaft to bring out a trapped comrade, when he hurled the lifeboat through the surf, when he endured poverty and hard work for his children's sake.

"This shining thing in the souls of free men Hitler cannot command, or attain, or conquer. He has crushed it, where he could, from German hearts."

"It is the great tradition of Democracy. It is the future. It is victory."

Patriotic Mass Meeting Next Tuesday Night

A Patriotic Mass Meeting will be held at the Opera House next Tuesday evening, June 11th, at 8:30.

The principal speakers will be Rev. Archdeacon Swanson, of Calgary, and Mr. Geo. Clark reeve of Westerdale municipality.

This meeting is called by the Board of Trade, the Town Council, the Canadian Legion, the two Municipalities and other organizations, representatives of which met on Tuesday evening to arrange details of the meeting.

Mr. W. A. Austin was selected as chairman of the meeting and a committee was appointed to draft resolutions to be presented at the meeting.

The following committees were appointed:

Program: Messrs. F. Dunlop and G. Law.
Resolutions: Mrs. Huget and Messrs. Austin, Morgan, N. Clarke and C. E. Reiber.

Decorations: Messrs. Morgan, Pitt and Norman Miller.

Come out to the meeting and show your enthusiasm in getting behind Canada in her War Effort.

A collection will be taken to defray expenses and any balance will be handed to the Red Cross.

Bride-To-Be Honored.

Miss Lila Wigglesworth was recently honored at several pre-nuptial showers.

On May 20th she was honored at a shower at the home of Miss Vivian Caithness and on May 27th Mrs. Milt Ford of Carstairs and Miss Dorothy Ranton entertained at the latter's home.

The Young Women's Missionary Circle and the Ladies Aid of the Evangelical Church also gave a miscellaneous shower in her honor.

On each occasion Miss Wigglesworth was the recipient of many beautiful and useful presents.

Attends Eastern Star Grand Chapter

Mrs. Ray Lantz left on Tuesday for Lethbridge, where she will represent the St. Hilda's Chapter at the annual meeting of the Alberta Grand Chapter of the Eastern Star, which is being held in that city this week. Mrs. J. A. McGhee, who is Associate Grand Matron of the Alberta Grand Chapter, is also attending.

Novel Quiz Contest.

A novel quiz contest will start at the Opera House next Wednesday, and will be held each succeeding Wednesday.

Patrons of the theatre, who have registered will have the opportunity of answering a question and winning the sum of \$5.00.

They can also submit a question, which must be accompanied by the stub of an adult admission ticket and if their question is used and they are present in the theatre they will receive \$5.00, and if not present the sum of \$1.00 will be mailed to them.

A large number have already registered and received question cards. If you have not already done so, register soon—you may win one of these prizes.

DIDSBURY MARKETS

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Can Didsbury District Supply an Ambulance?

A real opportunity is presented the different districts in Canada to make a direct contribution to war effort. Why cannot Didsbury be one of the districts to lead the way?

The following information has just been received from the National Headquarters of the Red Cross.

"Direct proof of the terrible drain on equipment in the evacuation of Allied forces from northern France and Belgium comes in an urgent appeal from the British Red Cross to Canada for immediate supply of FIFTY AMBULANCES. The appeal comes by cable to Canadian Red Cross Headquarters.

Already three of the fifty have been donated by an anonymous donor—a prominent Canadian mining man. It is a splendid opportunity for individuals and organizations seeking some special avenue through which assistance to the Allied war effort can be given. The demand is an immediate one and the cause most practical.

"The cost of each ambulance, of standard military type, fully equipped, is in the neighborhood of \$2,070.00. Full details may be secured from Canadian Red Cross Headquarters, 621 Jarvis Street, Toronto, or through Alberta Division Headquarters, Calgary."

Branches are requested to make this information known immediately to anyone who would be interested in helping this very worthy cause. Individual donations, specially earmarked for the British Red Cross Ambulances, may be received by the Branches.

With a concerted effort put forth there should be but little difficulty in raising sufficient funds to supply an ambulance which could be designated as the Didsbury Red Cross Ambulance.

20 donations of \$100.00, 40 donations of \$50.00 or 80 at \$25.00 would practically provide enough to make up the amount necessary to purchase an ambulance. Let's Go.

At any rate this would be a good subject to be discussed at the meeting to be held on Tuesday evening.

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When doctors disagree the average layman can do little more than shake his bewildered head and groan in anguish and bewilderment, and since the medical profession sponsor differing viewpoints on nearly everything that adversely affects the health of the human body—the causes of ailments and their cures—the welkin should be ringing with the moans of suffering humanity.

There are, of course, a few fundamentals which the medicos have generally accepted and upon which they now generally agree. It is doubtful if, to-day, a doctor could be found who would dispute the germ theory as the causative agent of certain specified diseases. These germs have been so definitely isolated and experimented with over a sufficient period of time with such definite results that there is no gainsaying the truth of the tenets of this theory. It is accepted as fact, not by any school of medical thought or by any faction, but by the entire fraternity.

When we go on from here, however, controversy, sometimes of quite violent character enters into theories, policies and practices of the profession.

Consider, for example, the highly important question of diet as a factor in the health of the individual. Some doctors have told us, if we wish to be healthy, to avoid starches. Others have said "no fats". Another school of thought was wont to denounce the practice of partaking of two different proteins at a single meal. One group of doctors have told their patients to limit their intake to two meals a day, if they wish to avoid digestive disturbances. Others have adopted "little and often" as their motto.

The Caloric Age

We have had the fruit juice diet and the Hollywood diet has had its vogue. Some doctors would train their patients down to the proportions of a lath, promising longevity and health as a reward for self denial. Other medical men consider their clients in first class condition when they have built them up to "pink portliness"—not too fat, you know, but comfortably plump.

One does not have to hark back very far to remember the time when the calory was the yardstick of the value of diet. In those days the housewife who had proper regard for the care of her family was supposed to know that there were twice as many calories in an egg as in a pound of beefsteak—or perhaps it was the other way around. In any event, the lady of the house was expected to tot up the number of calories in all the ingredients for the pending meal and they must reach the proper total to nourish papa, herself and young junior, the total required by father depending upon whether he worked with a pick and shovel or wielded a pen. Even some of the restaurants published in the menus the number of calories each dish placed before the patron represented.

That was in the palmy days before the vitamin appeared upon the stage, which was about the time the depression era was ushered in. Now the calory has been routed and the vitamin is having its innings. The vitamin appears to be a prodigious family and it's growing almost every day. The first to be discovered was labelled Vitamin A. It was not very long before B appeared on the scene, followed in succession by C and D. It is not safe to say how many letters have been used in the vitamin nomenclature for, by the time this appears in print, there will probably be another one and what is going to be done when the alphabet has been exhausted it is hard to say. Someone must have sensed the problem looming up for they are now splitting them and we have with us B1 and B2.

Back To Commonsense

Each of these vitamins has a different function in the human frame and each has its effect upon some entity of the body. For instance, Vitamin A is said have a beneficial effect upon the glands, or some of them. The amount of each vitamin required to ensure a health balance depends upon the condition or requirement of the entity which it influences.

We are told that, while the calories have yielded the spotlight to the vitamins, the former are still important and should still be measured and weighed along with the vitamins if our daily meals are to do us the maximum of good and the minimum of evil. In the matter of diet we have entered the realm of chemistry and mathematics and the problem of feeding for health has become so complicated that housewives will have to take degree courses, or else we will have to suffer the consequences, they say.

On the medical horizon is appearing the school of thought which, while not prepared yet to ditch the calories and vitamins theories altogether, believes that it is the part of wisdom, at least for the general public, to forget about these yardsticks of nutriment and that it is time for commonsense in the matter of eating and drinking to appear before the footlights. The time is coming when we may expect to again hear such long-forgotten injunctions as "eat in moderation", "eat what appears to agree with you," "eat slowly" and "eat when you are hungry".

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Prosperity And Adversity

Either Extreme Is Likely To Make A Man Discontented

There are two phases of life unfavorable to peace and comfort; the one is adversity, the other prosperity.

It is hard to tell in which a man is more discontented with himself and more offensive to others.

When prosperous he patronizes, when evil trouble falls upon him he whines and is a horrible bore. When he is down his friends wish him up on their own account; when he is high up they sigh for mountains to fall on him and bury him out of sight.

In Malaysia bees make honey, but do not eat it. Since there is no winter there, the bees need not store up food.

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Britain Holds Near East

Check On German Attempt To Stir Up Tribal Uprisings

Great Britain's trump card against possible German-backed revolt in the Near East is an Englishman with a scar on his chin and a host of Bedouin fighters at his back.

Desert revolt would be a direct threat to the lifeline of Britain's Mediterranean fleet—the pipeline that carries Britain's chief oil supply from Iraq to Haifa.

On the records in London the man with the scar on his chin is listed as Major John Blubb, veteran of the Desert Patrol of the Arab Legion; but among the burning hills of Transjordan, tribesmen with fighting on their minds shout his name proudly as Abou Heineik, the man with the jaw, the uncrowned prince of Arabia.

While the major holds in check any German attempt to stir tribal uprisings in the interior, Australian, New Zealand, French, British, Indian, Turkish and Egyptian troops stand guard along Arabia's coasts.

The Arabs call him a great fighter—a reputation he won when he co-ordinated Iraq and Bedouin tribes in 1921 and led them against marauding bands of Saudi Arabia to the south.

Major Blubb is backed by Emir Abdullah Ben Hussein, ruler of Transjordan, and camel herdsman are heard to say Emir Abdullah has sworn by the Koran that the blood of his men will flow with that of Englishmen to keep Germans out of the hills.

Supervised Decorations

Mrs. Vincent Massey, wife of the High Commissioner for Canada, with the aid of a women's committee, made herself responsible for selecting and supervising decoration schemes, furniture, and heating equipment of the new Beaver Club for the Canadian troops in London. To create a cheerful home-like atmosphere she kept color schemes in gay harmonies.

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Holds The Spotlight

Western Farmer Finds His Acres Suddenly A World Stage

As the spring of 1940 quickens in the deep soil of the Prairies, the Western farmer discovers he has an altogether different status from that of last spring, states The Printed Word. No longer is he a problem child putting grey hairs in the heads of governments. No longer do people shake their index fingers at him and say that he never should have taken up that land in the first place. No longer do they pass him hand-me-downs and sigh for the economic futility of it all.

The Western farmer has become a figure of vast significance. His acres are suddenly a world stage. As he sets out to make a crop, Britain is watching him and hoping that the gods of rain and frost and hail and rust and sunshine will be kind. Germany is watching him and wishing he were an easier man to frighten and subdue. Probably also watching him and secretly hoping he makes his crop are those other expert farmers, the Danes, with the whip of the invader on their backs.

Women are advised not to talk too much at meals if they would keep their husbands healthy. Of course, the change will have to be gradual to prevent shock.

Officers' Commission

Educational Requirements Are Set Down In Regulations

In order to facilitate the obtaining by soldiers of an officer's commission in the Canadian Active Service Force, the national defence department has broadened the interpretation of the educational requirements clause contained in the King's regulations and orders for the non-permanent, active militia.

According to this clause, a prospective officer must have a pass standard in the matriculation examinations of a recognized Canadian university.

Under the new regulations laid down by the department, the following will be accepted in lieu: A high school leaving certificate or a certificate from a recognized Canadian university or of a provincial department of education that the candidate's education is considered equivalent to matriculation.

Diplomatic Touch

Canadian army training seems to teach diplomacy as well as how to fight a war. A young Canadian private sent home this double barrelled honey via the cable office in the Beaver Club's soldier hostel: "Birth-day greetings to the best mother in the world. Please send fifteen dollars."

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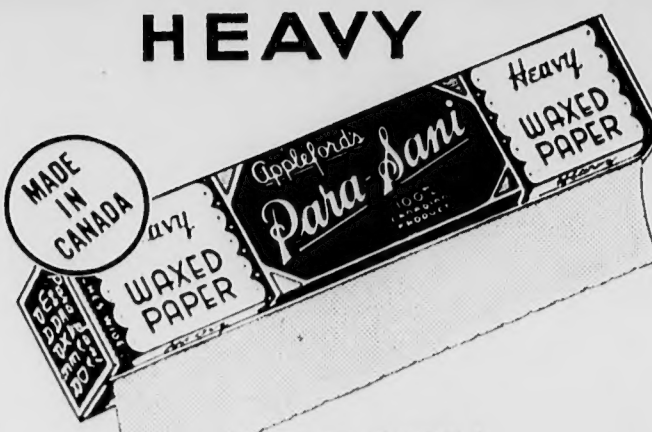


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Soils Well Supplied With Organic Matter More Fertile Than Those of Low Content

Although by far the greatest fraction of an ordinary mineral soil is derived from the weathering of rocks, decomposed rock fragments alone do not constitute a soil, states H. J. Atkinson, Division of Chemistry, Dominion Experimental Farms Service. The presence of organic matter is necessary in order that this mineral matter may become a soil and grow crops successfully.

Most of the soil organic matter is derived from growing plants, but some of it also comes from decomposing animal remains. In the decomposition of these materials, complex chemical reactions take place which not only give simple compounds such as ammonia and carbon dioxide but also bring about the accumulation of a complex material commonly known as humus.

Soils containing less than three per cent. of organic matter are considered to be low in that constituent; those containing around 10 per cent. are very well supplied. The so-called organic soils, mucks and peats, have very much higher quantities of organic matter, varying from 20 per cent. to 80 per cent. or more.

It has been observed generally that soils well supplied with organic matter are more fertile than those of low organic matter content. This constituent has a number of very important functions in the soil. One of these is as a storehouse for certain plant nutrients, particularly nitrogen. The decomposition of soil organic matter is brought about through the activities of millions of bacteria. These bacteria derive their energy from the humus, and in the process, break it down into simple substances, releasing nitrogen, sulphur, etc., in forms in which plants can use them as food. Any cultural practice which will encourage the growth of bacteria in the soil without at the same time causing extreme loss of nutrients, will result indirectly in improved plants growth because of the more rapid decomposition of the plant residues and humus which will take place.

Organic matter is commonly added to cultivated soil either in the form of manure, or by the ploughing under of a growing crop, a process which is known as green manuring. The latter practice not only returns to the soil the nutrients taken up by the growing crop but also enriches the soil with humus-forming material. If the crop being ploughed under is a legume, it is also possible that considerable nitrogen which has been obtained from the air by the legume is added to the available nitrogen supply of the soil. The application of barnyard manure also adds organic matter to the soil and considerable plant food, especially nitrogen, phosphorus and potash, and in addition, it increases the active bacterial population of the soil, the benefits of which have been pointed out above.

Organic matter in soils also improves their physical condition. On clay soils it has a loosening effect, giving better drainage and aeration. On sandy soils, it tends to bind the particles together due to its greater cohesive power than that of sand. It also increases the water holding capacity of the soil, a factor that is important in districts of low rainfall. In general it improves tilth and thus facilitates drainage, root extension and bacterial activity.

The effect of organic matter on the physical condition of the soil is so marked that it is claimed that the presence of 15 per cent. to 20 per cent. of organic matter almost completely removes the distinction between sands, loams and clays.

Winners Were Losers

Howard C. Wilson, a linotype operator and vice-president of the Baltimore Typographical Union, won a bowling tournament, and the prize was a pair of fine military brushes. Wilson is as bald as a duckpin ball. So, Howard raffled them off. The winner of the raffle wears a toupee.

Americans are the heaviest cigarette smokers in the world, with England, Mexico, Belgium, and France, following next in respective order.

Flying School Instructors

Canadian Pilots Will Be Given Preference In Selection

Canadian pilots will be given preference in selection of the several hundred civilian pilots needed as instructors for the 26 elementary flying schools to be established under the British Commonwealth Air Training Plan, the Canadian Flying Clubs Association announced at Ottawa. The association, with which are affiliated Canada's 22 amateur flying clubs, has opened a registry for qualified flying instructors. Instructors for the various schools will be drawn from the registry at Ottawa as required.

No. 1 elementary flying training school is now under organization at Malton Airport, Toronto, under direction of the Toronto Flying Club. A staff of 13 instructors for the Malton School already has been filled, but three other clubs are expected to set up elementary flying training schools shortly and others are to follow.

All instructor pilots in the elementary schools will retain their civilian status. The positions opened offer a chance of service on the "home front" for bush flyers, for veterans who need only a refresher course to regain their flying skill, and for scores of youths fresh from flying school.

First preference will go to civilian pilots already holding transport department licences as instructors. Second choice will be made from pilots of at least 100 hours' flying experience who are prepared to take the special 25-hour course necessary to qualify for an instructor's rating, and third choice from younger pilots who have not quite 100 hours of solo flying to their credit but are still in training.

The transport department recently lowered the instructors' minimum flying time from 250 to 100 hours.

Women pilots also may qualify as instructors, the association said, though at present only one woman holds an instructor's license.

The flying clubs affiliated with the association have been training civilian pilots since 1928, and since that time have turned out some 3,000 trained pilots, of which 300 are now serving with the Royal Air Force and others with the Royal Canadian Air Force and in commercial aviation. Majority of the pilots in the auxiliary squadrons, the non-permanent branch of the R.C.A.F., are flying club graduates.

Under a special arrangement with the defence department, several clubs began training R.C.A.F. recruits in a special elementary flying course, but when war broke out a more ambitious role for the flying clubs was decided upon.

At their annual convention, the clubs offered their services in any capacity, and the association executive later held many conferences with air force and defence department officials.

Under the new plan, the clubs form special companies with Dominion charters to enter into contracts with the government for operation of the elementary flying training schools under the Empire air plan. The air force provides the additional aircraft required, but the clubs provide instructors for special military ground courses in connection with the elementary flying training schools, however.

New Type Of Letter

A letter 120 feet long, and still growing, will soon be on its way overseas to the men of the 48th Highlanders. Eight hundred members of the 15th Battalion Old Comrades' Association, together with sweethearts, mothers and wives, have written their messages on a scroll. It was Secretary George Lovegrove's idea.

The slide fastener was invented by Whitcomb Judson in 1893, but Gideon Sundback later improved and patented it.

British Columbia, Manitoba and Saskatchewan produce Canada's zinc, with British Columbia being the largest contributor.

French Units Edit Papers

But No Mention Of War Appears In Their Columns

The war has greatly increased the number of newspapers published in France but no reference to the war as such is found in any of them. The editors and staffs of the several dozen new-born since last September are at the front.

Every French unit wants its own and it is not difficult to find illustrators, cartoonists, caricaturists, poets and moralists to fill the sheets. Most of them are mimeographed and circulate in the camps and trenches as did another set of war gazettes 25 years ago. A number of them reach Paris.

Majority of the newspaper names are impossible in translation but among them are to be found "The Vagabond Duck," "The Echo of Cementville" and the "Alert."

The "Little Bridge" says, "We are somewhere working at something which demands a certain amount of time to complete. We have a certain amount of leisure and a certain amount of talent. These pages are meant to maintain a certain good humor in the uncertain life of the soldier."

While the "Balleonné" describes itself as the "least puffed-up of the war front newspapers," its advertisement section offers: "One bronchitis, almost new; one lung congestion, slightly used, but solid, and one cough guaranteed to resist any cough cure yet invented for sale to anybody behind the lines who has the leisure to enjoy them."

A work brigade offers generously 20 shovels, 18 picks, 14 wheelbarrows, 10 pails and four nails to the collectors of old iron. Another regiment advertises for "Young and beautiful stenographers to look after personal correspondence. Quick, discreet and capable of entering by the windows."

Short stories, poems, cartoons fill the pages—there is special space given to promotions, decorations and "permissions." Not the slightest reference to the war is to be found in any of them.

Long-Range Strategy

May Lose Many Battles But Eventually Will Win War

But there's truth in what Chamberlain says. The Nazis got into a helpless neutral land first by treachery, ruthlessness and complete disregard for the rights of small nations. The British fighters were up against terrific odds from the first. But Hitler didn't have his customary walkover.

However, long-range strategy, as Neville says, will win this war and nobody can forget that England has always lost plenty of battles and still won her wars. She never is more dangerous than when she has been thrown downstairs, kicked around the alley and left for the sweepers. Dave Boone, in New York Sun.

At Stoke Newington, England, for more than 40 years, Henry Skimmer-ton was a milkman, earning very little. But when he died he was worth £30,000 (\$133,500) in pyramided investments.

Air Commodore Leckie Of Royal Air Force Now Training Canadian Recruits

The Hog Situation

Bacon Board Is Making A Price Adjustment

The bacon board said in a statement that "it is a reasonable assumption that if Canada continues to produce hogs in such numbers as are possible under sound farm economy, Great Britain will want all of our supplies and perhaps sooner than anticipated."

The price of hogs now is being adjusted to the average of export and domestic values of the product, and the board, under chairmanship of Hon. J. G. Taggart, is fully aware of the complications involved in this situation, the statement said.

"Until domestic values are more clearly defined it is evident that a cautious attitude is wise and necessary. The first responsibility of the board is to see that the producer gets all that is possible for his hogs."

"The uncertainties in the bacon supply situation are an inevitable part of the present condition of the war. To say at this time to hog producers that everything is rosy would be folly. Nevertheless it appears quite plain that undue pessimism is equally foolish."

Referring to the domestic market situation at present, the board said it is necessary now to distribute into domestic consumption all hogs that have currently been so disposed of plus hogs that were being put into storage for the account of the board and intended for export.

"It will not be known for a few weeks at what price the domestic market will finally absorb the supply. This will depend to a considerable extent on the volume of hog marketings. The period of increasing seasonal consumption may have to be developed by means of price concessions but demand may soon meet supply."

Was Once A Gunner

Britain's Air Vice-Marshal Has Had Experience With Soldiers

Air Vice-Marshal Patrick Lyon Playfair, who commands the Advanced Air Striking Force in France, which is doing great deeds these days, was the youngest air vice-marshal in the Force when he was promoted to his present rank in 1934.

He was then only 41. He has oval-shaped eyes, rather heavy eyebrows, a long Roman nose, and understands the air-fighting business from "A to Z."

He has had experience, too, of commanding soldiers, as he was in command of the British Forces in Palestine for two years.

Originally a gunner, he now describes himself as a "worker", and can do 18 hours out of each 24.

Canada ranked fifth among 24 leading commercial nations of the world in total trade during 1938.

Out With Needle and Serap Bag



Household Arts by Alice Brooks

A Sparkling Quilt When Made of Scraps Dutch Tulip

It's tulip-time for quiltmakers with this lovely applique design at their disposal—one patch for the flowers, one for the leaf. Pattern 6678 contains the Block Chart; carefully drawn pattern pieces; color schemes; directions for quilt; yardage chart; illustration of quilt.

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There is no Alice Brooks pattern book published

A Scotsman who helped father Canadian aviation, Air Commodore Robert Leckie of the Royal Air Force is now aiding in the forging of air warriors from raw young Canadian recruits. He might not be on this job had it not been for a strong winged pigeon that once flew 50 miles over storm-tossed seas to bring rescue in 1917 to the 49-year-old Air Commodore.

For four days Leckie and his crew in a flying boat of the Royal Naval Air Service tossed about on the sea 50 miles off the British coast after having been forced down. They released a carrier pigeon with word of their predicament and a boat put out to rescue them.

Air Commodore Leckie's connection with Canadian aviation goes back to his youth in Toronto where he paid for his own tuition in flying. Born in Scotland, he went to Toronto as a boy and entered his uncle's business when he had finished school.

He completed his air education with the Royal Naval Air Service and by the time he was 27 he had taken part in ten forays against German zeppelins and had brought down two himself. He was decorated with the Distinguished Service Order, the Distinguished Service Cross and the Distinguished Flying Cross.

Leckie's assignment as senior officer of 71 officers and 200 airmen of the R.A.F. who came to Canada to participate in the British Commonwealth Air Training Plan was something in the nature of a homecoming for the air commodore.

Not only did he learn to fly in the Dominion but, just after the First Great War, the Canadian government appointed him to the Air Board in charge of civil flying operations. At that post he was instrumental in formation of the original Canadian Air Force in 1920.

Three years later he was recalled to the R.A.F. in England and stationed at various bases. He attended the Royal Naval staff college, commanded the Mediterranean air arm and served in the China station with the aircraft carrier, H.M.S. Hermes.

Before he left Canada, however, he and six other airmen completed the first "transcontinental" flight. They started from Halifax, Oct. 7th, 1920, and 10 days later, with an actual flying time of 49 hours, seven minutes, they set their plane down in Vancouver.

In England Leckie became aide-de-camp to three sovereigns—King George V., King Edward VIII and King George VI, a long step from his youthful occupation of selling fishing nets in Toronto and the Muskoka Lake region of Ontario.

During the first Great War he commanded many of the Canadians who served in the British air arm and, on taking over his new post in the Dominion, said the young men from Canada, now with the R.A.F., are every bit as good as their predecessors.

"Many Canadians served with me on the Mediterranean command and were very capable officers indeed," said Air Commodore Leckie.

This British officer is proud of the present system of training, which has progressed a long way since the days when he earned his wings.

"In my opinion," he said, "the training to be given under the air plan is the best in the world. Many casualties of the last war were due to inexperience and under the present set-up, built up since the last war and based on the central flying school system of instruction, no pilot will fly his squadron aircraft until he has a minimum of 150 hours of flying of which 50 hours will be dual instruction."

The air commodore married an American girl he met aboard ship while returning from China. They have two sons, the elder of which has more yen for the navy than the air force. So it should be. The boy was christened aboard the now-sunken aircraft carrier H.M.S. Courageous and they used the ship's bell as the font.

French girls were sent to Britain to teach French to the soldiers.

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The World of Wheat

By H. G. L. STRANGE

Director, "The Crop Testing Plan."

The season for summerfallow is here. Because the most important factor which limits the yield of all crops is moisture, summerfallowing is usually performed in order to conserve extra moisture in the soil for next year's crop.

Now the records show that the best rains fall during the month of June, and often early in June. It is important, therefore, that summerfallowing should be done as early as possible in June, for the simple reason that much of the rain which falls on a field before it is summerfallowed is lost by evaporation into the hot air when the soil is turned up during the operation of plowing or cultivating.

Keeping in mind the importance of conserving moisture in the soil, it is obvious that the less the summerfallow is disturbed after the first plowing or cultivating, the more moisture is likely to be conserved, and so the higher the crop yield will be the next year.

Naturally, of course, sufficient cultivation must be done during the season to keep down any heavy growth of weeds, for tall weeds will certainly steal a great deal, if not all, the moisture that the summerfallow has conserved.

Following factors have tended to raise prices: Believed that Belgium's 1940 crop virtually lost owing to German invasion -- Preliminary surveys indicate probable reduced yield in Norway and Russia -- Rain is urgently needed in Western Australia; seeding held up -- Recent moisture reports for the Prairies show 3 per cent. decrease from last week.

Following factors have tended to lower prices: King Leopold surrenders Belgian Army to Germany -- Seeding of wheat in Argentina making satisfactory progress -- Corn acreage in Balkans expected to be substantially increased -- British Ministry of food has begun drive to prevent food wastage.

Notes From the West

Miss C. Hosegood spent the week-end visiting friends in Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Banting visited Mr. and Mrs. M. Campbell on Sunday.

Mrs. P. Hosegood entertained at a shower in honor of Mrs. K. Blain (nee Eva Forum) on Tuesday afternoon. Among the many gifts presented to the bride were a set of quilt blocks. Lunch was served by the hostess to conclude a very pleasant afternoon.

Mrs. D. Evans entertained last Wednesday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Tryonck, Miss Connie Hosegood and Miss LaRue Russell. The afternoon was spent in making pot-holders and embroidering dish towels, which were divided among the guests of honor. Mrs. E. McInnis and Mrs. Arnold Blain received prizes for the neatest towels. A delicious lunch was served by the hostess, closing a very pleasant afternoon.

"BUY IN DIDSBURY"

Agricultural Crop Report No. 2

For the period ending May 27th, weather conditions for the past two weeks have been ideal for seeding in most districts of Alberta. Spring work has advanced to such an extent that about 97 per cent of the wheat is now sown. Coarse grains are from 30 to 100 per cent. seeded, the average for the province being about 75 per cent. Hot weather and drying winds have removed surface moisture very rapidly and rain would be welcome, especially along the south and along the eastern border of the province, especially in the St. Paul-Bonnyville district, where the situation is described as serious.

Germination of late sown crops would be improved by additional moisture, although the subsoil reserves are reported as adequate in most areas. Light rains over the week-end and on Monday were received in many districts of the province. Although not heavy enough to change the situation materially, they have improved conditions for germinating late crops.

Early sown crops have germinated evenly and stands show vigorous.

There has been no report of damage to crops from insects, disease or soil drifting.

Conditions in the livestock, dairy and poultry industries are satisfactory.

With regard to field crops, from reports gathered from correspondents it would appear that earlier estimates of acreage expected to be seeded this year may have to be revised because of the lateness of the spring. It would appear at this time that the acreage sown to wheat is approximately the same as last year, while an increase of about 3 per cent. in the acreage sown to oats and barley is indicated.

Much of the crop is up and making good growth. Dry weather and hot winds may retard proper germination of late-sown crops.

Oats and barley seeding is completed in some districts, but for the province as a whole, about 25 per cent remains to be sown. Some of the coarse grains are up and doing well. Pastures and forage crops are making splendid growth, but rain in the eastern districts would be most beneficial.

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10:40 a.m.—Preaching Services
7:45 p.m.—Preaching Service, including Young People's meeting every alternate Sunday.
Wednesday Evenings, 8 o'clock.
Prayer Service

UNITED CHURCH

Rev. J. M. Fawcett, Pastor

11:00 a.m.—Sunday School
7:30 p.m.—Service
Westcott 11:00 a.m.
Westerdale 3:00 p.m.

EVANGELICAL

Rev. A. S. Caughell, Pastor

Sunday Services:
10:30 a.m. Morning Worship
11:30 a.m. Sunday School
7:30 p.m. Evening Service
Monday 4 p.m. Jr. Christian Endeavor
Monday 5 p.m. Intermediate
Monday 7:30 p.m. Senior
Wednesday Evening, at 8, Prayer Mtg

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Rev. A. D. Currie

June 9, 3 p.m., Evensong
June 23, 11 a.m., Holy Communion
June 30, 3 p.m., Evensong
June 19 (Wednesday), 9 a.m., Holy Communion

St. George's, Harmattan
June 16, 3 p.m., Evensong
June 30, 11 a.m., Holy Communion

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Spokes Club
Tuesday: 4 to 6 Girl Guides
7 to 8 Brownies
8 Scouts
Wednesday: 8 to 9:30 Rangers
Thursday: 8 St. John's Ambulance
Friday: 7 to 8 Cubs
Last Saturday in every month: Legion

Melvin Notes.

Anyone wishing to do Red Cross work—call for materials or yarn at Mrs. George Youngs'.

There's a Dance at the Hall next Friday, June 7th, with the Calgary Hillbillies on the platform.

Sleepy weather! What about it, Emil? In future, when sleeping in the field, don't forget to tie the horses!

A whist drive will be held at the home of Mrs. Roy McNaughton on June 27th. Proceeds in aid of the Red Cross.

Mr. and Mrs. Jules Gourdinne and Mrs. L. Simonice, of Gleichen, were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. E. Dupont.

People of the district will be sorry to learn that Mr. Ganong, a former resident of the neighborhood, passed away at his home in California on May 24th.

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Westcott Notes.

The Westcott W.I. met at the home of Mrs. J. Hughes on May 30, with a good attendance. Mrs. Shoul-dice took the chair and a busy afternoon followed. Arrangements were made for the demonstration on "Home Decorating," which will be given by Miss Lee, of the Olds School of Agriculture. Mrs. McFarlane gave a synopsis of a portion of "Inside Europe," for this month. Mrs. N. Eckel, constituency convenor, and Mrs. B. Woods, constituency secretary, paid an official visit. Owing to the storm the meeting ended rather abruptly. Lunch was served by the hostess.

Burnside Notes

Mrs. N. Eckel spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Morrison.

Mrs. John Topley is convalescing at her home here, after a successful operation for appendicitis.

Mr. Barney Woods left Monday to take a position as instructor at Currie Barracks, Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob McCulloch of Turner Valley spent a couple of days last week visiting relatives here.

There will be a doughnut contest at the June meeting of the W.I. to be held at the home of Mrs. H. J. Richardson on Thursday, June 13.

Mrs. N. Eckel and Mrs. B. Woods spent Thursday last as guests of the Westcott W.I. at the home of Mrs. J. Hughes.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Houser attended the wedding on Sunday last of the latter's sister, Miss Elma Ol-hausen, to Mr. Babe Fuller of Rockyford.

Carstairs E. Community

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bouck are visiting relatives at Irma at present.

Miss Rostrop, of Carstairs, is relieving Miss Fia, who is sick at Calgary.

A large number of friends gave Miss Alma Olehouse, bride-elect, a shower at Bancroft last Thursday.

\$24.00 in prizes will be awarded at the Hall in a Modern contest on Friday, June 21st. Hillbillies will play.

Jake Knoeffe, manager of the York Hotel, Calgary, an old home steader in this district, was renewing acquaintances with old timers through here last week.

Evangelical Church Notes

The annual Children's Day entertainment will be presented next Sunday in connection with the morning service and Sunday School. A special offering will be received for missions.

Rev. Kenneth Krueger will be present next Sunday and will have charge of the services at this church until August 14th. He has been appointed by Conference.

SOFTBALL

High School Beats Counter Hoppers in First Big Five Game

The first game in the "Big Five" Softball League was played Monday evening on the local diamond, when Didsbury Counter Hoppers and Didsbury High School met in a hard-fought tussle. High School emerging victors 12-6.

For the first five innings Hoppers, who had to substitute two or three of their regular players, led 6-1.

In the 6th High School hammered out 4 runs and the game tightened up, with the students having a slight edge and finally applying the pressure to win 12-6, with the help of a home-run by Heine and a 3 bagger by Reiffenstein.

For the losers, Len. Berscht and Jay Tuggle and the substitute players put up a game fight against their more virile opponents.

Batteries: Heine and Holub; Berscht and Tuggle.

H.S.: J. Holub, P. Heine, B. Wyman, M. Holub, G. Kercher, B. Buhr, R. Reiffenstein, G. Hallman, E. Cummins and C. Loader.

Counter Hoppers: L. Berscht, Jay Tuggle, D. Thorn, D. Deadrick, L. Ringheim, J. Sinclair, Cecil Shultz, M. Ringheim, E. Durrer and Bill Moon Jr.

Tuesday night, Clovermount and Grand Centre met, the latter losing to the visitors 3-1 in a Big 5 game.

Clovermount and Melvin clash at Clovermount tomorrow (Friday) night in the first Big 5 game in the west, while on Saturday night in town, High School and Grand Centre will have the spotlight.

BIRTHS

Didsbury General Hospital

May 31st to Mr. and Mrs. Willard Falk. Carestairs, a son.

IN THE QUAIN BOOK OF THE 16th CENTURY

In 300 years the art of brewing became an important industry in England. First, in the 13th century, brewing became known through waters of Burton on the Trent. Of many books on the subject of BEER, one in particular deserves special mention. In 1573 H. Knarst published a work in five volumes at Eerfurt with the quaint title: "On the Divine Noble Gift, the Philosophical High Dear and Wondrous Art to Brewing Beer."

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WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

The 44th annual convention of the Western Stock Growers' Association will be held in Calgary, June 13-14.

It is announced the admiralty is unable to establish a general scheme of leave to men for farm duties at planting time and harvest in Britain.

Egypt is removing civilian populations of all strategic western desert towns along the Libyan frontier.

The British Columbia Temperance league seeks to end the manufacture and sale of liquor in Canada for the duration of the war.

Distribution of 50,000 non-fiction books to members of the Canadian armed forces in Great Britain has been arranged by the educational committee of the Canadian Legion.

Relatives of Canadians serving with the army, navy or air force will be notified of any casualties 24 hours before the news is released for publication, it was learned.

The German news agency, Nazi propaganda outlet, claimed that 32,000 general staff maps of Germany were found in headquarters of the Netherlands army in Arnhem.

Citation of the Distinguished Flying Cross for Flying Officer Andrew Hood of Dundee, Scotland, came after he had been reported missing in action.

Preliminary arrangements for reception of 225 newspaper editors who will assemble in Calgary, July 4 and 5 at the national convention of the Canadian Weekly Newspaper Association have been completed.

Canadian Cheese

Old Country Buyers Consider It Best In The World

Despite all past experience, Canadian dairymen still refuse to learn one of the most obvious lessons. Once again the industry finds itself with a butter surplus on its hands that is particularly embarrassing in wartime.

There is one cause for satisfaction. The National Dairy Council is being more and more thoroughly sold on the idea of cutting down on butter production, and is urging strongly that the farmers turn more of their milk into cheese. It is to be hoped that the campaign will bear good fruit.

Canada, of course, makes good butter, but not good enough to justify the emphasis placed on it in this country. In the British market, the New Zealand product holds a leadership that cannot be challenged, particularly as the price is aided by Government subsidization.

It is in cheese production that Canada shines. Old Country buyers rank Canada's cheese ahead of all the rest of the world, and if once our dairymen will allow themselves to be convinced that this is the proper destination for the bulk of their surplus milk, much will have been done to bring about the proper balance in our dairy industry. *Windsor Star.*

A Good Answer

Clergyman Knew How To Handle Anonymous Letter Writer

A clergyman, receiving an anonymous letter reproaching him for driving to church in a fine new car and reminding him that this was not the Lord's way of travelling, read the letter from the pulpit. Finishing reading the clergyman said: "I admit that it is not. But if the writer of this letter will come to my home next Sunday, bridled and saddled, I shall take great pleasure in following our Lord's example in this as in all other matters within my power."

A Real Masterpiece

The comb cell of a honey bee is an engineering masterpiece. Each hexagonal chamber shares its parts. Its six enclosing sides and three-fold base, with nine other cells, with which it is in contact.

Born Without Arms

But William Watson Does With His Toes What Other People Do With Their Hands

William R. Watson, author, lawyer and musician, in Montreal on a lecture tour, was showing service club members how he does with his toes the thousand and one things ordinary people do with their hands. Watson, a native of Scotland, was born without arms.

In an interview, Watson, now living at Toronto, said he does almost everything with his toes—washes his face, combs his hair, eats, cleans his teeth, writes and even shaves.

Asked if he had dictated the 90,000 words of his last book, Watson answered that "I wrote every word of it in longfoot."

He came to Canada at an early age and graduated both in arts and law from University of Alberta. He is the holder of a gold medal for voice in the Alberta musical festival.

At present, he is studying means by which soldiers maimed in the present conflict can become rehabilitated after the war.

Gardening

Garden Walks

In the smaller garden where visitors and children soon wear grass thin along the edges of flower beds or between the house and the swing or arbor, regular paths are needed. With a little care they will add beauty to the rest of the garden, too. Most pleasing materials of all for this purpose are flagstones. These are broad, flat, thin slabs of any soft stone, usually found in abundance around certain river beds.

The stones are sunk flush with the ground and at least an inch and a half of grass is left between edges. Sometimes after the sod is cut out the exact shape and depth of each stone, a little sand is added to the bottom of the hole for drainage and to make walk firmer. Built in this way the lawn mower will run right over the pathway.

Hardening Up Clay

Heavy, sticky clays are made loose and pliable by the addition of plenty of rotted leaves or other vegetable matter, which scientists term humus or fibre. Extreme cases may be treated with sand or ordinary coal ashes from stove or furnace. Liberal applications of manure and good cultivation will help and also digging under green crops of clover, oats or just weeds.

Window Boxes

A brown or green stained window box overflowing with gaily blooming flowers is within the range of almost every person. Even the apartment dweller is able to satisfy a gardening ambition and success is easily obtained. This sort of gardening is highly intensive with many more plants to the square foot than would be grown under ordinary conditions. This means that very rich soil should be used and in addition a fairly frequent application of chemical fertilizer during the season. Being exposed on all sides to drying winds, a thorough watering once a day of the window box is advised.

Along the front of window boxes are planted trailing nasturtiums, German ivy, lobelia, alyssum and similar plants, with petunias, ageratum, begonias, ferns, geraniums and other plants especially recommended for this purpose farther back. Shelter from the sun for a day or two should be provided until the plants get established.

SELECTED RECIPES

CABBAGE AND APPLE SALAD

- 1 package Lemon Jell-O
 - 1 pint hot water
 - 4 teaspoons vinegar
 - 1/2 teaspoon salt
 - 1 cup shredded cabbage
 - 1 cup diced apples
 - 1/4 cup chopped sweet pickles
- Dissolve Jell-O in hot water. Add vinegar and salt. Chill until slightly thickened. Fold in cabbage, apples, and pickles. Turn into individual molds. Chill until firm. Unmold on crisp lettuce. Serves six.

CARROT PUDDING

- 1 cup grated raw carrot
 - 1 cup grated raw potato
 - 1 cup soft bread crumbs
 - 1 cup seedless raisins
 - 1 cup cleaned currants
 - 1/2 cup Bee Hive Golden Corn Syrup
 - 1/2 cup brown sugar
 - 3/4 cup finely chopped suet
 - 2 tablespoons sour milk
 - 1/2 teaspoon baking soda
 - 1/2 cup flour
 - 1 teaspoon salt
 - 1 teaspoon cinnamon
 - 1/2 teaspoon nutmeg
 - 1/2 teaspoon allspice
- Mix in order given and turn into well buttered dish or moulds covered with wax, a parchment paper or cloth, and steam three hours for large, less for small.

SOFT, SLIMMING JACKET DRESS

By Anne Adams



There's an illusion of slenderness and easy grace in this soft afternoon style, Pattern 4442. It's knowingly created by Anne Adams to flatter mature curves, and does so smartly, youthfully. The fullness through the bodice is held at the shoulders by decorative shirring or gathers; at the waist by neat darts. You'll like the slimming lines of the front skirt panel. Put a fresh flower at the V-neck, or just use tiny buttons down the centre, and at the tucked-in sleeves. When you go out, top off the frock with a trim bolero-jacket which may be entirely of contrast, or have rounded revers to match the dress. Wouldn't soft printed crepe be lovely?

Pattern 4442 is available in women's sizes 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, 46 and 48. Size 36, dress, takes 3 1/2 yards 39 inch fabric. Send twenty cents (20c) in coins (stamps cannot be accepted) for this Anne Adams pattern. Write plainly Size, Name, Address and Style Number and send orders to the Anne Adams Pattern Dept., Winnipeg Newspaper Union, 175 McDermot Ave. E., Winnipeg.

Only about 10 per cent. of the butter consumed in England is home-produced.

I Read---And Write---For You

By JOHN C. KIRKWOOD

In the Italian Piedmont is Valenza, a city of 12,000 population. In this city are 180 families each of whom owns a workshop where they make artistic jewellery, using gold, platinum, silver and precious stones. This specialized industry has been carried on by these families and their forebears for centuries. It is a survival of the old guild system. These jewellers do not have a central vault for the custody of their precious materials, or indeed any vault. The platinum, gold, silver and precious stones needed by each family are taken to them daily by messengers. Apparently these messengers are not molested by gangsters and thieves.

The value of gold used monthly by these 180 families, not to speak of the value of the other materials, is about \$90,000. To these craftsmen are entrusted the making of many special pieces for presentation purposes. Son succeeds father in this business, and this has been going on for hundreds upon hundreds of years.

Skis were used in Scandinavia 2000 B.C. This is known by the discovery of specimens in Swedish marshes. There are many references to skis in Norse Saga—stories of the use of skis in hunting and in battles stories going back to the 8th century A.D., and contemporaneously skis were used in North China.

The first historical instance of the military use of skis is the battle of Isen, near Oslo, in 1200. In 1204 Norwegian ski troops from Finnmark overwhelmed a superior Danish force in the region of Petsamo.

In the Finnish war of 1808-09 with Russia the Swedes and Finns used skis. In that war the Russians attempted to cut Finland in two, but were defeated.

In 1902 skiing found its way into the French army, and Italy, Germany, Austro-Hungary and Russia began using skis for patrolling, scouting and communication. In the

The Bank Of England

Was Founded To Finance Wars For King William The Third

Bank of England stock is privately owned. Anyone can buy share on the open market at around £300 for £100 certificates. The capital is £14,553,000.

The proprietors, as the shareholders are called, can meet with the Court of Directors twice a year. At these sessions a stockholder can vote only if he has held £500 worth of stock for six months. And, if the directors don't want to listen to him, he will have his own time trying to get anywhere.

With Montagu Collet Norman as Governor, the bank is managed by the Court of Directors, who are elected. There are normally 24 directors and they meet weekly. Management of the bank is much the same as it has been for nearly three centuries. It was founded by William Paterson, who combined the three professions of preaching, banking and piracy to good advantage in the days of King William III. When His Majesty needed money for the wars and the goldsmiths wanted too much interest, William Paterson founded his bank to finance the royal enterprise. Ever since the Bank of England has been financing Great Britain's needs. Known as the "Old Lady of Thread-needle Street," the Bank of England is the financial ruler guiding whatever Government is in power.

The Bank of Canada works with the Bank of England in helping to finance the war. For instance, the repatriation of securities and the providing of dollars for Britain's exchange are worked out in harmony between the two banks.—W. L. Clark in *Windsor Star*.

Red Cross Supplies

Manitoba Sends Record Number Of Cases To Britain

Since April 30 the Manitoba Division of the Red Cross has gathered up and forwarded overseas 21 cases containing the following: 900 woolen scarves, 300 seamen's scarves, 250 seamen's pullovers, 480 pairs wool socks, 500 3-inch bandages, 463 4-inch bandages, 462 bed sheets, 1,992 pillow cases, 4,000 wipes, 1,630 compresses.

With the exception of Ontario, Manitoba has it would seem the record for number of cases of supplies forwarded.

Have nothing in your house that you do not know to be useful, or believe to be beautiful.



HEALTH ARTICLE—

HEALTH IN UNITED STATES

Surgeon-General Thomas Parran of the United States Public Health Service says that the American people are the healthiest in the world and the present generation the healthiest in the Nation's history. There is no doubt of it and this desirable state of affairs has been brought about by better general feeding, better housing and greater use of preventive methods in relation to disease. In 1938, the country had the lowest death-rate ever recorded, 10.6 per thousand population as compared with 11.2 for 1937. Diseases of the heart, cancer, cerebral haemorrhage, kidney trouble, accidents, pneumonia, diseases of the digestive system and tuberculosis were the principal causes of death. Cancer and heart disease showed an increase. In 1937 the Canadian rate was 10.2 while that of 1938 was 9.5, showing that this country is in even more favourable position insofar as the health of her people is concerned.

Dr. Parran, however, declares that some health conditions in the United States were alarming in view of the great advances which could be made in preventive medicine and treatment if full use were made of present knowledge. The two peoples are much the same; the health conditions are similar, with the balance in favour of the Northern country.

With reference to smallpox, the Surgeon-General sounded a note of warning which should be taken to heart by Canadians. He said that "the 14,939 cases of smallpox in 1938 and 8,273 in 1939 constituted a national disgrace". The corresponding figures for Canada are not at hand but one judges that there is not much variance between them. Smallpox possesses the oldest and perhaps the best means of prevention known in respect to any disease. Vaccination is so simple, safe and effective that if in general use we should soon see the end of smallpox. In spite of the existence of vaccination, the number of cases in the United States is exceeded by only one country in the civilized world—India.

Editorial Note: Readers desiring the complete set of Dr. McCullough's cancer articles at once may secure same by writing to: The Health League of Canada, 105 Bond St., Toronto, Ont.

A Great Tribute

Was Paid To British Navy By Rescued German Pilot

The Halifax Herald says: A writer in a London newspaper draws attention to an incident in the North Sea fighting which he calls one of "the greatest tributes ever paid to a nation at war."

A raiding Nazi bomber, after attacking an unarmed trawler, was crippled by a British pursuit plane. A forced landing was necessary and the Nazi airmen were rescued by the very trawler they had just attacked. On their arrival at a British port to be interned, the German pilot remarked:

"We saw our plight was hopeless so we brought the machine down near the trawler—we knew the British would save us."

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An inquest into a fire and explosion in London has ended after seven months. The jury heard 1,674,000 words of evidence, and as a compensation for their duty, were exempted from further duty for life.

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The Park Lane Mystery

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CHAPTER IV.—Continued

The tutelage lasted the best part of a year, and then the quiet young man suddenly came to life, dismissed his worldly and pious companion with a check for £1000, summoned Mrs. Edwins to be his housekeeper and bought and reconstructed the Duke of Greenhart's house in Park Lane.

And thenceforward Mr. Harlow's name began to appear in the records of important transactions. Family fortunes dropped into his lap. Miss Mercy had been comparatively rich and had left him every penny of her fortune, with the exception of £100 to Lucy Edwins in recognition of her faithful service, realizing that she will not regard this sum as inadequate in view of the great service rendered to her between the years 1891 and 1897. Then Miss Henrietta died, and when the death duties were paid there was the greater part of two millions. Miss Alice left more. The bachelor uncle in New York died a comparative pauper, leaving a beggarly eight million dollars.

The Colossus at Home

Mr. Harlow's house was a rather ugly three-story building which oc-

cupied a small island site, possibly the most valuable in Park Lane, though the actual entrance was not in that exclusive thoroughfare, but in the side street. He opened the door with a key and walked into the hall. His library immediately faced him. There were some letters on the table, which he scanned through rapidly, opening only one. It was from Ellenbury, and just then Mr. Harlow was annoyed with Ellenbury; he had supplied erroneous information about Aileen Rivers, and had made him look a fool.

He read the letter carefully, and then dropped it in the fire and watched it turn black.

"A useful man, but a thought too anxious. It was a mistake perhaps to keep him so tight. He must be let down," Mr. Harlow decided. A little of his own confidence must be infused into his helper. Too great a desire to please, too present a fear of failure; those were Ellenbury's weaknesses.

Mrs. Edwins

He pressed an ivory push-button on his desk, and sitting down, reached to the wall, slid back a panel, and took out a small black bottle, a siphon and a glass. He poured out barely more whiskey than enough to cover the bottom of the tumbler, and filled it to the top with soda water. The glass was half empty when Mrs. Edwins, his housekeeper, came in without knocking. A tall, yellow-faced woman, with burning black eyes, she showed nothing of the slowness or decrepitude that might have been expected in a woman near 70.

"You rang?"

Miss Mercy's maid of other days had a voice as sharp and clear as a bugle note.

She stood before the desk, her hands behind her, her eyes fixed on his.

"Yes," he said, turning over his letters once more. "Is everything all right?"

"Everything."

Like a bugle note and with some of a bugle's stridency.

"Couldn't we keep a servant in the house," she asked. "The hours are a little too long for me. I didn't go to bed until 1 o'clock yesterday, and I had to be up at 7 to let them in."

It was a curious fact that no servants slept at No. 704 Park Lane. There was not a house of its size, or an establishment of such pretensions in all the country where every servant from butler to kitchen wench, "slept out". Mr. Harlow's excuse to his friends was that the room space was too valuable for servants, but he denied this by hiring an expensive house in Charles street for their accommodation.

"No, I don't think it is necessary," he said, pursing his lips. "I thought you understand that."

"I might die or be taken ill in the

night," said Mrs. Edwins dispassionately, "and then where would you be?"

He smiled.

"It would be rather a case of where would you be, I think!" he said in excellent humor. "Nothing has happened?"

She considered her answer before she replied.

"Somebody called, that was all," she said, "but I'll tell you about that afterward."

He was amused.

"A good many people call. Very well—be mysterious!"

He got up from his chair and walked out of the room, and she followed. There was a tiny elevator in the hall, big enough for two, but she declined this conveyance.

"I'll walk," she said, and he laughed softly.

"You were complaining about feeling tired just now," he retorted, as he closed the grills before the little lift.

He pressed the top button, the elevator moved swiftly and noiselessly upward and came at last to a stop on the third floor, where he stepped out to a square carpeted landing from which led two doors. Here he waited, humming softly to himself, until the woman came in sight around the bend of the stairs.

"You're an athlete," he said pleasantly, and, jerking out his pocket chain, selected a small key and opened the door on the left.

Marling!

It was a big and artistically furnished apartment, lit from the cornice by concealed light and from the floor by two red-shaded lamps. In one corner of the room was an ornate wooden bed of red lacquer decorated with Chinese paintings in gold. At a small Empire desk near one of the windows, which were heavily curtained, sat a man. He was almost as tall as Mr. Harlow, and the features which would have arrested the attention of a stranger were his big, dome-shaped forehead, which in spite of his age and he must have been as old as Harlow himself—was untinted with gray.

He was reading, one thin hand on his cheek, his eyes fixed upon the book that lay on the desk, and not until Mr. Harlow spoke did he look up.

"Hallo, Marling!" said Stratford Harlow gently.

The man leaned back in his chair, closed the book, mechanically marking his place with a thin tortoise-shell paper knife.

"Good evening," he said simply.

"Time you had your walk, eh?"

There was a second door in the room, and toward this Mr. Harlow glanced.

"Yes, I suppose it is," said the man, and rose.

He wore a short dressing jacket of dark blue velvet; his feet were en-

cased in red morocco slippers. His glance strayed back to the closed book, as though he were reluctant to have his reading interrupted.

"The Odes of Horace," he said; "an English translation, but full of errors."

"Yes, yes," smiled Mr. Harlow. "It's rather late for Horace."

The woman was standing by the door, stiffly erect, her hands folded in front of her, her dark eyes on her master.

"Do you know who you are, my friend?" he asked.

The bearded man put his white hand to his forehead.

"I am Saul Marling, a graduate of Balliol," he said.

Mr. Harlow nodded.

"And—anything else?" he asked. Again the hand went up to the dome-shaped forehead.

"I forget * * * how absurd! It was something I saw, wasn't it?" he asked anxiously.

"Something you saw," agreed Mr. Harlow, "just before Miss Mercy died."

The other heaved a sigh.

"She died very suddenly. She was very kind to me in all my little troubles. Awfully suddenly. She used to sit on the chair talking to you, and then one night after dinner she fell down."

"On the floor," nodded Mr. Harlow, almost cheerfully. "But you saw something, didn't you?" he encouraged. "A little bottle and some blue stuff. Wake up, Marling! You remember the little bottle and the blue stuff?"

The man shook his head.

"Not clearly * * * that was before you and Mrs. Edwins took me away. I drank the white powders they dizzied like a seidlitz powder and then—"

"To the country," smiled Harlow. "You were ill, my poor fellow, and we had to prescribe something to quieten you. You're all right?"

"My head is a little confused—," began the man, but Harlow laughed, caught him almost affectionately by the arm and, opening the narrow door, led his companion up a flight of steep stairs. At the top of this was another door, which Mr. Harlow unlocked. They were on the roof of Greenhart House, a wide, flat expanse of asphalt confined within a breast-high parapet. For half an hour they walked up and down, arm-in-arm, the bigger man talking all the time.

The fog was thick, the street lamps showed themselves below as patches of dull yellow luminosity.

"Cold? I told you to put on your scarf, you stupid chap!" Mr. Harlow was good-humored even in his annoyance. "Come along, we'll go down."

In the room below he fastened the door and gazed approvingly around the comfortable apartment. He took up one of the eight volumes that lay on a table. They still wore the publishers' wrappers and had arrived that day.

"Reading maketh a full man—you will find the Augustan histories a little heavy even for a graduate of Oxford, eh? Good night, Marling—sleep well."

He locked the door and went out to the landing with Mrs. Edwins. Her hard eyes were fixed on his face, and until he spoke she was silent.

"He's quite all right," he said.

"Is he?" Her harsh voice was disagreeable. "How can he be all right if he's reading and writing?"

"Writing?" he asked quickly. "What?"

"Oh, just stuff about the Romans, but it reads sensible."

(To Be Continued)

Ruins In West Indies

Tourists who find romance in the ruins of Europe can find ruins in the West Indies. Old Panama once had 7,000 houses, many of them beautiful, two noble churches, eight monasteries, but to-day has only a church wall, a crumbling tower, a little paving and an old sea wall.

The curious bamboo crab lives deep down in the Andaman Sea, at a depth of 400 fathoms.

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Early Roads In Canada

First Highway Was Built In Quebec In 1665

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In Ontario the Niagara Portage Road between Queenston and Chippawa was opened by the United Empire Loyalists in 1788. It was the principal route of travel to the Upper Lakes region and served as an important strategic position and line of communication during the War of 1812-14 and the Rebellion of 1837-38. Canadian Resources Bulletin.

GEMS OF THOUGHT

PATIENCE

He that can have patience, can have what he will.—Franklin.

The two powers which in my opinion constitute a wise man are those of bearing and forbearing.—Epictetus.

Charity is quite as rare as wisdom, but when charity does appear, it is known by its patience and endurance. Mary Baker Eddy.

In your patience possess ye your souls. New Testament, Luke 21:19.

Even the best must own that patience and resignation are the pillars of human peace on earth.—Young.

There is as much difference between genuine patience and sullen endurance, as between the smile of love and the malicious gnashing of the teeth.—Plummer.

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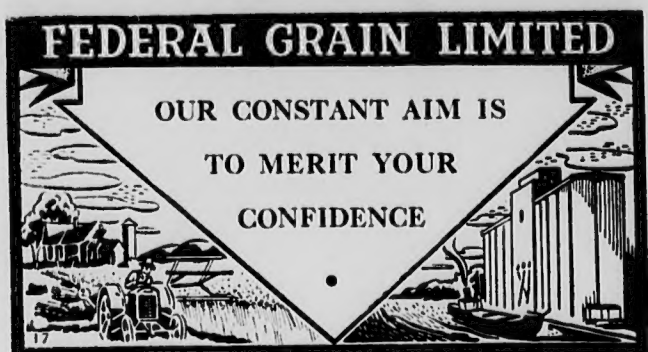
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LOCAL & GENERAL

Rev. Herman Shulze, of Ellerslie, Alberta, spent a few days this week with his son, Rev. R. H. Shulze.

Mrs. P. A. Clapp, of Edmonton, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. M. Fawcett, and family, at Knox United Manse.

A dance will be held at the Rugby Community Hall on Wednesday, June 5th. Fitzsimmons and his Fiddlers will supply the music.

Mrs. John L. Field of Aruba, Netherlands West Indies, has arrived in Didsbury to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Leeson.

Mrs. Hy. Friesen, who was visiting her mother for a few weeks, at Portland, Oregon, returned home on Saturday.

A meeting of the Didsbury Band will be held at the school this evening (Thursday) at 8 p.m. All members are asked to attend as this is an organization meeting.

The days of slapstick comedy, the Keystone cops and the early glamor girls return in "Hollywood Cavalcade," drama of today and yesterday — at the movies Tonight-Fri.-Sat.

A court of revision of the assessment was held at the Town Council meeting held on Monday evening. Four appeals were heard and the assessment in each case was sustained.

Capt. H. C. Liesemer, who was called to serve in the Dental Corps, at Calgary last week, spent the weekend at his home here.

A Tea and Sale of Homecooking under the auspices of St. Cyprian's W.A. will be held at the home of Mrs. Lowrie on Saturday, June 8th, from 3 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Marshall, of Saskatoon, Sask., called on a few old friends in town this week, on their way to the coast. Mr. Marshall was minister of Knox United Church here from 1909 to 1917.

The Little White Ribboners will hold their annual picnic at the Mountain View Bible School grounds on Thursday, June 13th, at 3 p.m. All mothers and small children cordially invited. Bring lunch and cups; lemonade provided.

Mr. Charles McLaughlin has been appointed manager of the new British-American Gas and Oil Depot and Mr. Jim Pryke as driver. Both will move their families to Didsbury as soon as the depot is ready for operation.

Mr. C. R. Ford, principal of the public school, will leave on Saturday for Peoria, Illinois, where he will take a summer course in general shop. This will be the second summer that Mr. Ford has taken a course at Peoria.

Dr. Clarke received a pleasant surprise on Monday afternoon at his office, when two members of the St. John's Ambulance Class presented him with an auto rug in recognition of his services as instructor of the classes in first-aid which had been held during the past winter.

Submarine shells torpedoed liner while survivors take to lifeboats. — "U-Boat 29" at the movies next Monday-Wednesday shows the menace at work and the bravery and resource of the men concerned in combating it! See the ruthlessness of submarine warfare as conducted by a nation in the hands of a maniac!

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Gooder on Saturday attended the wedding of Mr. Robert L. Gooder to Miss Dorothy Agnes Mockett. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Archdeacon Swanson at St. Stephen's Church, Calgary, and the reception at the home of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Gooder.

Knox United Sunday School are sponsoring an excellent program of young people's talent, and lantern slides, at their church this Friday evening, June 7, from 8 to 9 p.m. The slides are entitled "Tales from India," and are some of the finest colored slides on life in India ever procured. Admission, 10c for any age. Come and bring the whole family, and thus support the Sunday School.

Yes, folks, we have Boys' Scampers, from \$1.65 up. Come to Scott's

LOCAL & GENERAL

Alf Brusso Jr. left on Monday for Calgary, having joined the Dental Corps of the Canadian Active Service Corps. For the present he will have a position as clerk in the Quartermasters Stores.

Summer Caps, men's, 25c and 30c at Scott's—Main Street South.

Rev. A. F. Reiner, of the Lutheran Church, announces that the services in German will be discontinued and all services, both at Didsbury and Westcott, will be conducted in English. Services at Westcott are held every Sunday at 11 a.m. and at Didsbury on the 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 5th Sundays at 2:30 p.m.

Red Cross Notes

To all Alberta branches and auxiliaries the Red Cross issues an urgent request for blankets, to be used in France, either for the 28,000 hospital beds for their own wounded or for the 6 million refugees from devastated countries to the north, who are converging on Paris in their flight.

The National Committee on Policy drew up the following instructions as to the kind of blankets for which the appeal is made and the method of dealing with shipments:

- Directions to Donors
- 1 This appeal is for WOOLLEN blankets, not flannelette or quilts of any kind, nor any secondhand or used clothing
 - 2 The woollen blankets may be new or "as good as new," that is, no stained, torn, moth-eaten or threadbare blankets accepted for overseas shipment
 - 3 If contributing both "new" and "used" blankets, keep them separate.
 - 4 Sew on each blanket a label, about 2"x4", at one corner; and mark it "new" or "used" If "used," state also if "fumigated," "washed" or "cleaned"
 - 5 Blankets may be of any weight, size or color; either single-bed or double bed; either single or in pairs; but must be woollen, clean and in good repair.

The Alberta Division of the Red Cross shipped 312 cases containing 99,628 articles of war supplies and 3,676 articles for Polish and Finnish Relief, together with 75,924 surgical dressings for sterilization, to Montreal and Toronto respectively, to be forwarded overseas.

Knox United Church Notes

On Sunday next the minister will speak on "Borderland Christian Living." A hearty invitation is extended to any who care to join with us in an hour of meditation and worship.

We are planning to celebrate the Anniversary of our churches on this charge Sunday, June 23rd. Make your plans now to attend these services.

Bring your family to the Church on Friday evening this week, when an entertainment will be provided by the Sunday School, including a beautiful set of lantern slides on "Tales of India."

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